N°. 3088

MONDAY, MARCH 7, 1892.

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Ansurances.

EXAMPLES OF THE COST OF ASSURANCE TO A MAN AGED 30 NEXT BIRTHDAY. STG. payable at death, would

cost per quarter at the rate (6 18 0 (a) If premiums are payable for

or £. 9 st. 6 (b) If premiums are limited to 20 or £11 4 6 (c) If premiums are limited to 15 or £13 00 (d) If the Sum Assured is made payable at age 50, or at death if previous.

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Agents for Hongkong. agrd February, 1892. NOTICE.

THE MAN ON INSURANCE COMPANY LIMITED,

The above Company is prepared to accept Rural Building Lot Lease direct from the Crown MARINE RISES at CURRENT RAYES on Goods. for a term of 75 years from the 26th December, &c. Policies granted to all Parts of the world 1875, at the Crown Rental of \$48 per annum. payable at any of its Agencies. WOO LIN YUEN,

HEAD OFFICE No. 2 OPERM'S ROAD WEER. Honglong, 1st February, 1882.

GENERAL NOTICE.

THE ON TAI INSURANCE COMPANY, (LIMITED.)

BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

LEE GIND, Esq. LO YEUR MOON, Esq. Lou Tso Shun, Esq.

MANAGER.—HO AMEL TARINE RISKS on GOODS, &c., taken

procid HEAD OFFICE, 8 & O. PRAYA-WEST.

Hongkong, 17th December, 1831

Auctions:

PUBLIC AUCTION.

MR. J. M. ARMSTRONG has received instructions from the Mortgagess to Sell

TO-MORROW, the 8th March, 1892, at 3 o'clock p.m., at the Premises.

THE FOLLOWING VALUABLE LEASEHOLD PROPERTY, Comprising Nos. 7, 9, 11 and 13, Wyndham Street, No. 14; Wellington Street, and Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10, Wy Tak Lane, Victoria; Hongkong and being All that PIECE or PARCEL of GROUND

registered in the Land Office as The Remaining Portion of Inland Lot No. 138 as the same premises held for the residue of a term of 75 years from the 22nd January, 1844, and for a further term of 924 years from the expiration of the term of 75 years. subject to the payment of the preportion of the yearly Crown Rents payable in respect thereof, and to the performance of the Crown covenants to be performed in respect thereof, and subject also to the existing

lettings and and tenancies thereof. The Houses will be sold in one lot or separate lots, comprising one House each, at the option of the Vendors. For sale plan, further particulars and conditions of sale apply to

WOTTON & DEACON, Solicitors for the Mortgagees, Hongkong, PALMER & TURNER, Architects.

J. M. ARMSTRONG. Auctioneer. Hongkong, 25th February 8-2

PUBLIC AUCTION.

MR. J. M. ARMSTRONG has received instructions to sell by Public Auction, on board,

WEDNESDAY,

the 9th March, 1892, at 3 o'clock p.m., THE S.S. "KIUKIANG"

now lying in the Hongkong Harbour with all such of her MACHINERY, ENGINES, SHIPS' STORES, FURNITURE, FITTINGS and AP-PURTENANCES, as are now on board, exceptthe STEAM WINDLASS, ANCHORS and CHAIN CABLES, FIRE PUMPS and HOSE, which the Vendors are to be at liberty of remove after the sale of the vessel.

Further particulars and conditions of Sale can be obtained from the HONGKONG, CANTON and MACAO STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED, or of Messrs. WOTTON & DLACON or of the Auctioneer, J. M. ARMSTRONG.

A Steam launch will leave Pedder's Wharf. at 2,30 on the day of sale, and will take off intending purchasers.

Hongkong, 37th February, 1802

PUBLIC AUCTION.

TAR. J. M. ARMSTRONG has received IVI instructions from the Liquidator of the "PEAK HOTEL AND TRADING Co., LD.," to offer for Sale, on

SATURDAY, the 12th day of March, 1892, at 3 Nolock p.m. on the Premises, in One Lot, THE FOLLOWING

VALUABLE LEASEHOLD PROPERTY situate at Victoria Gap, and on which: stands the Magnificent Building known as the "PEAK HOTEL"

All that portion of the PIECE or PARCEL of GHOUND situate near the Gap, Victoria Feak, in the Colony of Hongkong, Registered in the Land Office as Farm Lot No. 53, abatting on the North side thereof on the Premises, next here-. after described and measuring thereon respectively 148 feet 4 inches or thereabouts, and ITS feet 4 inches or thereabouts on the South side thereof on other portion of the said Farm Lot No. 53 and measuring thereon 218 feet 2 inches or thereabouts on the East side thereof on other portion of the said Farm Lot No. 53 and measuring thereon 118 feet o inches or thereabouts, and on the West side thereof on Ground being the Premises lastly hereinafter described and measuring thereon respectively 220 feet and 3 inches or thereabouts and 29 feet and 4 inches or thereabouts and which said Piece or Parcel of Ground is Registered in the Land Office as Section A of Farm Lot No. 53. And all that portion of the Piece or Patcel of Ground Registered as Section A of Extension of Farm Lot No. 53, known and Registered in the Land Office as the Remaining Portion of Section A of Extension of Farm Lot No. 53. The above Pieces of Ground are shown on the Sale Plan and thereon coloured Red and Blue and contain altogether an area of Socion square feet.

And also the right to all the Extension of Section A Farm Lot No. 53, more particularly

stewn on the Sale Plan and thereon coloured Yellow containing an area of 9,230 square feet. Together with the Messusges, Erections and Buildings thereon known as the PEAK

The Purchaser will, on surrendering the whole IIO of the above Premises, be entitled to one New For Bale Plan, and further particulars,

JOHNSON, STOKES & MASTER, Solicitors for the Vendor, "Suireme Court House, er to

J. M. ARMSTRONG.

Hongloong, 1st March, 1892.

THE BANK OF CHINA, JAPAN, AND THE STRAITS, LIMITED.

THE DIVIDEND declared for the year ol : wending | sist | December, 1891, of 2s. per Share on Original Oldinary Shares and is, ad. per Share on New Issue Shares will be PAY. ABLE at the Offices of the Bank, it, Queen's Rolf. on and after MONDAY, the 7th instant, where Dividend Warrants may be obtained by Shartholders.

CHANTREY INCHBALD. Manager, Bongkong, Ith March, 1896,

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Hongkong, 5th March, 1892

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R. TUCKER. Manager. Hongkong, 12th February, 1891.

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Mangheen, 14th January, 1898.

18, Prays Control, Hongstong.

Intimations.

NOTICE.

NTRIES for the ATHLETIC SPORTS will be received until TO-MORROW, the 8th of March, 1892, at 5 o'clock.

A. DPNISON. Hon. Secretary, H.K. A. C. Hongkong, 5th March, 1802.

THE HONGKONG ROPE MANUFACTUR ING COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Eighth Ordinary General MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will beheld at the Office of the Company, Praya Central, on FRIDAY, the 17th March, at 1,30 o'clock in the afternoon, for the nurpose of receiving the Report of the General Managers, declaring a dividend and electing a Consulting Committee and Auditors.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 25th February to 17th March, both days inclusive. SHEWAN & Co.,

General Managers. Hongkong, 20th February, 1802.

COMPANY, LIMITED. THE Ninth Ordinary General MEETING of SHARPHOLDERS will be held at the Company's Office, Prays Central, on MOV. DAY, the arst March, at 3,30 o'clock in the

THE CHINA AND MAVILA STEAMSHIP

afternoon, for the nurpose of receiving the Report of the General Managers, and electing a Consulting Committee and Auditors.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 6th to stat instant both days inclusive.

SHEWAN & Co. General Managere

THE KOWLOON LAND AND BUILDING COMPANY, LIMITED.

Hongkong, 1st March, 7802.

TOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA-ORDINARY GENERAL METTING of the KOWLOON LAND, AND BUILDING COMPANY, LIMITED, will be held at the Registered Offices of the Company on THURS-DAY, the 10th day of March, 1892, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of confirming the subjoined Resolution which was passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting held on the 24th February, 1802 :-

That in the second and third lines of Article 81 of the Articles of Association the words "one thousand five hundred dollars" be struck out, and that there be substituted therefor the words "one hundred and fifty dollars."

A. SHELTON HOOPER,

Secretary to the Hongkong Land Investment and Agency Co., Ltd. Agents for the Kowloon Land and Building Co., Ltd. Dated this 24th day of February, 1892. [244

By Order of the Board.

NOTICE. THE SHAMEEN HOTEL AND LAND COMPANY, LIMITED.

TOTICE is hereby given that an Adjourned EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEET-ING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above named Company, will be held in the Company's Office, the 14th day of March, 1892, at 2.30 P.M., for the purpose of considering the advisability of declaring a Dividend, of electing a new Board of Directors, and of deciding various matters of great importance, details of which have been forwarded by circular to the address of every

registered Shareholder. Attention is specially directed in re the election of Directors, to Article No. 101 of the Company's Articles of Association, which reads as follows :-

No person not a retiring Director shall, unless recommended by the Directors for election, be eligible for election to the office of Director at any General Meeting, unless he, or some other member intending to propose him, has at least seven clear days before the meeting left at the Office of the | 5 T. JOHN Company a notice in writing under his hand signifying his candidature for the office or the intention of such member to

propose him." By Order of the Managing Director, R. C. HURLEY, Acting Secretary.

Hongkong, 1st March, 1802. MISS STOLZ.

MANICURE, CHIROPODIST MASSAGE. No. 8, COLLEGE CHAMBERS, Wyndham Street. Hongkong, 6th February, 1892.

THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA, LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE THIRD CALL of One Pound (L') per Share is payable on or before the 12th March next. Shareholders will please bring or send their Provisional Certificates in order to have payment endorsed upon them. A

Residents at Amoy, Shanghai and Yokohama

can pay at the Bank's Branches there, and at CANTON,..... to Messre. SHEWAN & Co. FOOCECW, M. W. GREIG & Co. I By Order of the Court of Directors, "GEO. W. F. PLAYFAIR, Chief Manager,

Hongkong, 10th February, 1802. NOTICE THE UNDERSIGNED, having removed his

residence to No. 90, WELLINGTON STREET, all CLAIMS against him personally, or against the CHEANG TEK KONGSER (the late OPTUM FARM), as well as all papers and correspondence, should be sent to the above

Hougkong, 20th February, 1802 HONGKONG TIMBER

NOTICE.

CONSIGNEES of CARCO per Steamship The shove Steamer having arrived, Consignees of Carro are hereby requested to send in their

. Cargo impeding the discharge of the Versel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

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110, 535, A N EMERGENCY MEETING of the above

LODGE will be held in FREEMASONS No. 5, Pedder's Hill, Hongkong, on MONDAY, HALL, Zetland Street, on FRIDAY, the 11th March, at 5 for 5.30 p.m. precisely. Visiting Brethren are cordially invited. Hongkong, 3rd March, 1802.

VICTORIA.

. above Chapter will be held in the FRIDAY, the rith instant, at 8.30 for 9 p.m.

OF HONGKONG, No. 618, S.C.

REGULAR MEETING of the above LODGE will be held in FREEMASONS' HALL, Zetland Street, on SATURDAY, the 12th instant, at 8 for 8.30 p.m., procisely. Visiting Brethren are cordially invited. Hongkong, 5th March, 1802.

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE

TATE have authorized Mr. J. A. BARRETTO to sign the name of our Firm in Hongkong and Canton.

NOTICE. THE style of the Firm of POATE & NOBLE.

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J. S. VAN BUREN, Honekong, 3rd March, 1802.

DILIGENTIA

Street, on THURSDAY, the toth instant, at 5 for 5.30 p.m. precisely. Visiting Brethren are cordially invited. Pongkong, 4th March, 1803.

A N Emergency CONVOCATION of the FREEMASONS' HALL Zetland precisely. Visiting Brethren are cordially invited. Hongkong, 4th March, 1802.

WENYON & ROBINSON.

DENTAL SURGEONS, has been changed to "Dr. J. W. NOBLE," and will be represented as JOSEPH W. NOBLE / Hongkong HERBERT D. REQUA } and

o:London, W. Hongkong, 27th February, 1802.

firm per procuration. KRUSE & Co. Hongkong, Ist March, 1802.

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LONDON S "THE HONGKONG TELEGRAPH," OFFICE, Pedder's Hill,

Hongkong, January 23rd 1802

BIRTH. At Kiukiang, on the 25th February, 1897, the wife of S. ROSENBAUM, of a daughter. DEATH.

At the hurning of the Lux, near Negropont, coast of Greece, about 5th November, HENRY F. SNELLGROVE, formerly of Shanghal.

HONGKONG, MONDAY, MARCH 7, 1892.

TELEGRAMS.

THE BERLIN UNEMPLOYED.

LONDON, February 26th. Several thousands of the unemployed in Berlin marched to the Imperial Palace and demanded bread ; a conflict took place with the police who, using their swords, injured a number of the crowd and made several arrests.

> SOCIALISM IN BERLIN. February 27th.

There has been a renewal of the riots in Berlin, and they are now clearly proved to be a close, and those who have not yet witnessed a rently never-ending fend. A friendly Achinese the work of Socialists. The crowd was dispersed by the police.

THE NEW GERMAN TARIFF. The German Government has decided that India and the British. Colonies shall benefit by the new tariff.

> TROUBLE IN GREECE. March 3rd

There is great excitement at Athens, the King having dismissed the Delyannis Ministry owing to their inability to cope with the financial crisis. M. Constantopoulo (Independent) has formed a new Cabinet.

DISCONTENT IN GERMANY.

March 4th. The German police have made an important seizure of papers criticising the Emperor's speech at Brandenburg, causing serious discontent.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Wz understand that the Portuguese gun-vessel 2.75 Div. now at Macao, is under instructions from the Minister of Marine to shortly proceed to Gos.

THE returns of the number of visitors to the City Hall Museum for the week ended March 6th. are :- Europeans, 261; Chinese, 1,723; total

THE Superintendent of the P. & O. S. Co. informs us that the steamship Pokle, with the next English mail, left Singapore for this port at 4 p.m. yesterday.

THE China Mail is good enough to chronicle the interesting fact-vide the latest edition of "Murmure"-that Lady Robinson is the Governor's wife. Nothing new under the sun,

In consideration of the vast amount of valuable 1.10 information contained in to-day's issue of The Only Newspaper in the Rait. the second portion of "Beauty and the Beast" is held over 0.75 until to-morrow.

In our report of the wreck of the Argyll on Priday we omitted to add "Daily Press please 1.10. copy," and strange to say the D. P. omitted to copy. They will, however, find out all about it in a month or two and trot it out as "news."

THE Gaselle of Saturday notifies the letting of the opium farm under the Prepared Opium Ordinance, 1891, for three years from March away because they have no opportunity to do 1st, 1892, to Ho Tal Shang, Lum Sin Shang, Yau so, and they have no means to pay for their Wing, Lo Wa Shin, and Ho Lin Wong, trading | passage. The consequence is that they roam 0.40 as the How Fook Company.

on February 29, the grant to the Thomas Han- dollars to a large amount besides other valuables bury School was raised from \$900 to \$1000, and and cheques. They have licen pursued and the Council was authorised, if desirable, to raise and are now in custody. But, unfortunately, the grant to the Public School from \$1000 to they are not the only ones who have taken \$3.000. Mr. J. G. Pardon was elected chairman to robbery. The whole country swarms with and Mr, E, A. Probat vice-chairman for the these bad characters, and the police are said

THE Dally Press made a mistake in refusing misery and impoverishment have made such the services of the gentleman whose poverty and headway, among the propie that children have efforts to find work afforded our contemporary begun to be openly, efforted for sale. At one so much amusement recently. Had he been place, a man sold his daughler, 8 to 9 years old taken on, possibly this would not have appeared to a woman for 14 guilders. Elsowhere, another—"the roof fell in, and damage to the extent native sold all his culidren, four in number, for of about \$200 was done. The occupant of the cone guilder. Such incidents mark the height of [4 | soom was asleep allthe time ? Precess, Edward I the distress,

THE P. M. S. S. Co.'s steamer China, with mails, &c., from San Francisco to the 17th ulto.. wia Honolulu, has arrived at Yokohama, and will leave for this port to-morrow.

pore, was passed by the steamship Glanariney. which arrived here to-dry from Singapore, in lat. 210 north, long. 140 08' east.

THE Shanghai papers state that over twenty steamers were to leave for the northern ports on Friday last (4th inst.), this being the largest number eyer known to leave at one time.

IT gives us great pleasure to note that our estimable evening contemporary has gone in for temperance sermons. What's your particular brand of unadulterated Scotch, friend Brownie? It is sad to reflect on that very hot place where Salasis, with the next French mail, left Salgon hypocrites have to spend their honeymoon.

THE Canadian Pacific Railway Co.'s Royal Mail Steamers Empress of Jopan arrived at Shanghai on the 4th inst. at 5 p.m., and left for this port | tee of the Legislative Council this afternoon the on the 5th at 2.30 p.m. The Empress of India arrived at Shanghal on the 4th at 3.30 p.m., and left for Victoria, B.C., on the 5th at 2.30 p.m.

SEVERAL well-to-do Chinese have arrived here | Whitehead dissenting. from Shanghai to look out for suitable steamers in the metropolis of the North having been appropriated a new "gat" Pauline by name: for the 'oa sexson. On dit that there is going to be a much needed boom up North,

YESTERDAY afternoon the P. & O. Co's steamer Brindisi entered the port flying the "yellow The Health Officer was soon alongside, and as it was found that the only flaw in her bill of. health was a remark to the effect that a smallpoxed Chinaman had been landed at Singapore she was promptly released and at once went alongside the Kowloon Wharf.

THE following charters have been fixed :- The German steamer Vorsvaerts has been chartered by a Chinese firm doing business in Shanghai for nine months at \$2,800 per month, to run to north China ports. The Triumph is chartered by the Tsun Fung hong to run to Holhow and Pakhol at \$2,800 per month; and the Hainan, chartered by the Shang Tye hong, will make trip to Shanghal, carrying 17,500 picula at 27 cents per 100 catties.

MACAO was en fite yesterday. A gorgeous religious procession in the afternoon, a large influx of visitors from Hongkong, a general illumination on a small scale in most of the houses throughout the city at night, and the old city much livelier than for many months past. But the weather was cold and cheerless, fantan attracted but a very small proportion of victims, and taken as a whole the situation was somewhat depressing. The proposed special excursion from Hongkong didn't come off.

THE China Mail says that the Colonial Veterinary Surgeon-nothing like an imposing title when business is meant-requires "a supply of calves." There is one particular calf in the is expected from Tientsin, wind and weather office of our evening contemporary-a firstclass call and nothing less-that would, we feel assured, admirably answer Mr. Ludda' regulrements. Interview the animal, Mr. Colonial Veterinary Surgeon, without delay, and if you can by any possible means get vaccine out of him, do so without more ado, and risk the consequences. This calf has no teeth, and if he ever had any he carried them in his sevenleague boots.

performance of this talented troups should not and most amusing of which was the famous alone worth doing penance to see. The irresistible and fairly convulsed the audience,

"MARINER," writing to a Shanghai contemporary on Gap Rock light, says-The light is described as being a First Order Dioptric Revolving one, exhibiting a bright white light every 30 seconds, followed by the same interval of darkness. This, I believe, is incorrect, as I am informed it is simply a light which will show white fiashes at minute intervals. If the flash have a duration. for example, of 4 seconds then the darkness will and as seen from a height of 15 feet above the Light will be 18 nautical miles (see the Sailors' light in the latter.

OF course, it was mere invention-a "cooked" lilustration to strengthen an argument; but we got there just the same. The subjoined para was published in the Telegraph on the 4th | where symptoms of hydrophobia were already instant-

The managers of the fantes den in Ah Chung Lane, to which a correspondent referred in our issue of the arth inst., are now doing a tip-top business in a Lower Lascar Row crib. Terms t

And yesterday, Inspector Stanton dropped in at No. 49, Lower Luscar Row, fust at church time, and finding a swarm of Chinese indulging in fan-tan instead of "joss-pldgin," he annexed 10 of them, who were marshalled before Mr. A. G. Wise at the Magistracy this morning and promptly fined \$10 cach. Thus we have aided the authorities in augmenting the revenue to the extent of one hundred, and ninety shekels of silver-not a bad haul in these hard-up days. But what about our little com-

THE Sourabaya Courant paints rather a dismai picture of matters now existing in Dell. Hundreds of coolies are out of employment owing to the forced closing of a number of estates. The Chinese who have no means of livelihood are sent back to Singapore. Javanese crolles have not this advantage, and are obliged to remain, in "the" country. They cannot get about in gange, and make the neighbourhood insecure. On one estate a band of them. 18 Ar the annual meeting of Shanghal ratepayers strong, attacked a tindal and robbed him of rarely to succeed in catching any of them. Affairs generally in East Java are anything but promising.

THE Abergeldie arrived here yesterday from Middlesbrough with a full cargo of rails and railway material for Jardine, Matheson & Co's contract work on the Shan-hai-kwan railway.

THE bark Stanfield, from Hongkong to Singa- A REGULAR meeting of the "Ararat" Lodge of Royal Ark Mariners, will be held in Freemasons' Hall, Zetland Street, on Thursday, the roth inst., at 8.30 for 9 p.m. precisely. Visiting brethren are cordially invited.

> MR. TAN KIM CHING, one of Singapore's wealthiest Chinese citizens, and Consul-General and Special Commissioner for Slam in the Straits Settlements, died very suddenly of heart distase on February 27th.

WE are informed by the Agent of the Messageries Maritimes Co. that the Company's steamer at 8 a.m. to-day, for this port. Mr. Wodehouse is a pussenger by this boat,

AT an adjourned meeting of the Finance Commit-

disputed sum of £3,928-71. 11d. required for adjustment of exchange and balance of the £1,16,000 to be paid for the defence works of this Colony, was voted after a long debate, Mr. for the northern trade; all available tonnage THE Fried Fish Wrapper would appear to have

engaged at higher rates than usual owing to the Will "Brownie" kindly leave off playing the ox inprecedentedly keen demand for handy coasters | and the ass and tell us openly what his initial paragraph in Saturday's impitary "Murmurs" is intended to convey? Our impression is that the sopient one has been taking lessons from Dr. Eitel-hence these tears. jack" and steamed into the quarantine ground. NOTWITHSTANDING the disturbances which have occurred in Northern China and the consequent

unsettled state of that pirt of the country, some 300 ponies have arrived at Tientsin and are at for the forthcoming Spring meeting.

THE Daily Press says that when the Bormida. was beating against a high sea and strong wind. the shaft broke, and "it was spredily found that two blides of the propellor had been lost and another was broken." A prize of \$5 is offered to any scafaring man who can explain how this was "speedily found out," after the shaft brokeor how it could be found out at all until the ship was taken into pres.

THERE was a flure-up in Serreant-Major Hazard's quarters (D block, Murray Barracks) yesterday, but as the Naval Dock Yard brigade were on the spot in a twinkling and "helps" were as plentiful as apricots in autumn the fire was got under ere three hundred dollars' worth of furniture was consumed. There being no suspicious circumstances the Magistrate will not, we believe, hold a searching inquiring. The Police didn't get a chance to take past in the extinguishing the fiery elements.

THE Mercury says that the U.S. gun-boat Pelvel. now at Bangkok, is to replace the venerable Palos on this station. The whilem New York tug-boat permitting, after the Peiho is open, and will probably be sold out of commission, after an eventful career. It is to be hoped a talented author will turn up to write her "biography" since the piping times of the "civil" war, rather misnomer for events, during which more hard knocks " than civility were exchanged.

RECENT advices from Acheen are to the effect that negociations" are in progress, between the Dutch Government and the titular Sultan of the THE season of Woodyear's Circus is drawing to | country with a view of terminating their appaacting on behalf of the Governor of Acheen has lose the few opportunities that are now remain. had an interview with an agent of the Sultan. ing. The entertainments of Friday and Satur- The latter seems inclined to close with the offer day last were of an interesting nature, many | made to him, but stipulates for exclusive authority new features being introduced; the cleverest over the Achinese and sole right to the taxes levied on them. He also asks for ammunition Negro sketch of " Good day, Boss " which was and supplies with which to fight the still hostile Achinese. The situation there shows no change humour and antics of the "niggers" are really for the better, the outposts being daily under fire. Thus, on the 4th February, a number of Achinese No doubt good business awalts the Company came to a military post to show their passes at during the remainder of their stay in Hongkong. | a bridge guarded by a corporal and three soldiers. An Achinese, on handing over his pass, stabbed I one of the latter who fell dead. The corporal shot the murderer down. The remainder of the Achinese wounded the corporal and another sol dier, and made off with three rifles. The corporal wounded as he was, managed to shoot one of the enemy and recover a rifle.

A SIMPLE hydrophobia cure is given by the Rev H. Lorbeer of Ghazipore, in the Statesman, as last 26 seconds. The British Admiralty invari- follows :- "As I have frequently been asked ably give the ranges of Lights in nautical miles | for advice in the treatment of bites by mad dogs, I wish to give to the public the benefit of my sea. On this basis the range of the Gap Rock | experience during the last fifteen years. As soon as possible after the bite, wash the wound wel Pocket Book, Bedford), or, say, 202 English with English vinegar (malt vinegar) or with miles; but no sailor ever gives the ranges of a causic. Give to the person bitten, twice daily, malt vinegar to drink (i ounce vinegar in a ounce water); continue to do so daily for two weeks, and the patient, will be out danger. I have saved many lives by thi simple treatment; but have not tried it in cases visible; but in such cases also, the Pasteur system seems to fail. Among the patients cured by vinegar were four persons bitten in one night by a mad jackal : all recovered. One boy was fearfully bitten by a mad dog. After fifteen days' treatment with vinegar, he was cured. Al the other peoble bitten by the same dog, and not treated with vinegar, died of hydrophobia with in fifteen days. Years ago, German doctors advised hydrochloric acid for hydrophobia, which, however, I have not tried yet."

> In reference to the Congo railway work, for which it is stated Chinese coolies are, if permitted by the G-vernment, to be recruited here, a correspondent of the Preang Gasette quotes " The Regions Beyond," a missionary journal edited by Dr. Grattan Guinness, the Director of the Congo stonia Mission. The extract runs:-"The construction of the Congo railway is

going steadily forward, but the difficulties of the lower river country, between Matadi and Palabals, are proving very serious. Long and patient work will still have to be devoted to the task. before the workmen; will find themselves in the open country behind the rocky bills. The forbidding heights beyond Matadi, the steep gorge of the N'poso, and the massive eminences of Palabala have greatly retarded progress. Now, however Matadia obstacles are overcome, the N'poso is about to be crossed, and the miners are attacking the rocky sides of Palabala. This point once passed, the work will be comparatively easy." The correspondent adds; "It is evident, therefore, that the Chinese coolies are wanted to do emphatically hard sort of work. The region to be crossed is most unhealthy."

THE CHARGE AGAINST THE OPIUM FARMER.

VIHE PLAINTIPF IN THE BOX.

or rather a partner as a matter of fact. The Sean, Defendant might have made one, but did of agreement was signed there, five Penang! March 1801 a verbal agreement was made syndicate. It was an agreement to carry which the price was lowered by \$4,000 per copy of the agreement was given to him in but \$80,000 was in the C. M. Bank in Penang Singapore (copy produced).

Mr. Dennys produced a document which he said was the only original partnership deed.

His Worship-They can both be put in. Mr. Francis said the contention of Mr. Dennys was absurd. Continuing, witness said he had been in this port since 1889. The copy of articles of partnership handed in was the deed under which. the business was always conducted. It was the original document. The business was carried on in Bonham Strand. They kept an account with the Chartered Mercantile Bink, Onthe 26th February (the day of defendant's 'arrest) the assistant cashier, Choi Tien-su, was present at the office. I nor seen it opened by any one else, until now, He kept the accounts—the account of receip at The .. safe . was kept in a small room. and expenses. Lo Fuk kept thoday book and but might be seen from cutside. Defendant the rough day, book. For Shun, the chief clerk! had not in the last six months drawn kept the ledger. Wong Su Man looked after the lanything from the firm beyond his salary with licensing business and received orders for opium. the knowledge and consent of witness; but He also sold oplum to the divas keepers, witness had hims il everdrawn, and was now Koh Chin-kut was the chief cashier. The chief about \$2,000 in debt to the fi m. No accounts cashier left on the 1st August, 1801, and his duties had been taken between himself and his were then taken over by Koh Cheng Sean who, partners. He knew his partners, of course, kept an English account book. In the course of Two of the original portners were dead; their present awaiting shipment to Shanghai. This a month the money for the daily sales of opium, capital was not repaid to their executors. When lot, added to the number which has already was received at the Farm-say \$1,000 a day. Kam Giang Hee died he might have left an reached Shanghai, should mean cheap griffing \$3,500 per month came in from the Macao Farm, executor, but witness did not know; the executor and \$4,300 per month from the Dross Farm. might have died too; did not know. Witness Money also came in from people allowed to did not really know who his partners were. prepare opium for export. It amounted to about \$10,000 per month. That would represent the average monthly revenue. The Government was always paid by cheque on the bank. All large sums were paid by chrour. Occasionally large sums were paid in cash. The excise officers and others were paid about 3000 to 4000 dollars per month, in cash. Wong not withdrawn it is presumed their executors con-Su-man usually handed the daily receipts to Choi Tien-su, who entered it in his cash Book. He would enter the daily recepts in lump sums. Wong Su-man kept daily accounts also. Either the defendant on Choi Tien-su would enter up the receipts from Maczo-the \$3 500. Choi Tien-su would receive that and enter it up in the book. The \$4,000 from the Dross Farm would be received by Chol Tien-su. The licensees' money would be received either by the defendant or Choi Tien-su. Choi Tien-su would give all the money he received to the defendant. It would be deposited in the office sale. Koh, Concert Club made its first appearance in public Cheng-sean, the defendant, kept the key of the on Saturday night, before H. E. the Governor, safe. Witness also had the key for a few days. H. E. Major-General Batker, and an assembly That was in July 1891. Since that time it had large enough to almost inconveniently crowd St. been in the defendant's possession. Kob Cheng- Andrew's Hall. The arrangement of the hall scan used to bank the money, and he it was well adapted for a "smoker," though many who kept the pass-book. Chei Tien-su would of the Hongkong hupper suckles don't seem to enter the receipts in the petty cash book. know that a smoking concert is essentially a non-Witness knew nothing of book-keeping. He could not read the Coincie accounts. He was in Major Barker, R.E., was an excellent president, no wise responsible for the books. The rough | clear, brief, and businesslike, and the Stewards day book was written up by Lo Fuk. Choli were active and courteous. The managers had, Tien-su would give him the cash book about once it would seem, taken care to engage none but in two days, and tell him to write it up. Some- total abstainers, for all the Stewards were the times, once a week or so, Le Fuk would report blue ribbon. But they broke the pledge-we the balance to witness. He could not identify saw them do it. any of the Farm account books-(cash book. By the way, we may here mention that a shown to witness and he failed to identify). As correspondent signing himself "A Rejected far as he knew the cash was short. The bank | Songbird" finds fault with the Committee for account was all right. The second clerk, Lo Fuk, their choice of items, He says it was told him so. That was how he knew. funny sort of concert at which one man sang Lo Fok told him occasionally what, the two hundred years ago, while another was only monthly balances were. He asked the defen- allowed to warble out on the deep when the sun dant himself what the balances were, and had set. The audience in the City Hall on

the 22nd February. According to the infor- | and that's when he'll feel all wrong mation of Lo Fuk there ought to have been! The concert opened with a medley of well more there. He told the defendant that I hown airs, called "Life in London" by the Lo Fuk said there ought to be a balance of band of the Shropshire Regiment. This band your business. What do you want to inquire! Colony, unanimously voted the best ever heard they said there was nothing in it about such all ence. The author, Professor, Peter Blobbs, and defendant always replied-"If it is short sung by the whole house. Lieut. Allenby money you have in hand and put it in the bank. of the world, "Grown-up Children's Games," Koh had been spending large sums of money, playing his own accompaniment on the guitar gambling at Kowloon, three or four times all with great effect. "That's when you feel all month. Koh Seong Tat, his brother, was cashier; right," by Lieut. Nicholson, in his most in the firm. Witness charged the defendant fresistible style, was so enthusiastically received with taking money from the farm funds, about that the chairman had great difficulty in \$19,000. During the last eight months the farm | relusing to allow an encore on account of the had declared no dividend. The Farmer was leigth of the programme. It was only

manager," because in a money matter ing, was exhibited. The favourite artiste from (as in this case) witness regarded him Whitechapel, Lieut, Brownrigg, gave as chief cashier only, Koh Chene Sean had been screamingly comic song, "Sech anoice man, too," entrusted with \$200,000 fointly with witness! which concluded the first ball of the concert. -witness did not himself receive the money. After a benuitfully rendered overture by the The farm partnership was constituted exactly I band, Mr. J. D. Lapraik sang a satirical ballad, as witness stated in the information. There dwelling on the fact that "Gentlemen were genwas also formerly Ong Beng Tek ; but tlemen two hundred years ago." Mr. H. B. T. he was dead. He died two years ago, but the Cox, a violinist of almost massive rank, was partnership was not dissolved thereby. . . Before quite a revelation to the audiente, and it is to be the parinership was formed, the possibility of all hoped he will often be induced to appear in partner dying was discussed; witness did not lippgkong, A German comic song, "Der Abt remember, striking but the death clause. Kami von Philippsbronn," by Mr. Meier, brought: Giang Hee, also an original pirtner, was now! down the house, and the first encore allowed by dead. No other partner had died ; Alagappa the chairman was scored to this gentleman, Chetty was not bankrupt as far as witness know. whom our morning contemporary classes as Li Keng Yuan was bankrupt, he had, heard. Duich. Mr. F. H. May recited a new and Salois Mission, and the founder of the Living. Lo. Fok, otherwise Lo. Keng, Chi, was second eriginal poem entitled "Shamus O'Brien," with clerk, but not a partner at all ; there was an- lairly good dramatic affect, and a perfect Irish other Lo Fuk, in Singapore, a partner. Last accent. "The song that reached my heart," year, defendant went to Japan. About July always a favourite was well rendered by Mr. E. his brother Koh Cheng Kut, who acted for him, Osborne, after which Lieut. Allenby scored s was very sick; not mad, witness thought. Chail brilliant success with "A very nice old maid." Tien Su sent a telegram, in the name and by and laughing choius. That laugh was more request of witness, " Cheng Kut unsound ; come catching than the influence. In response to back." Did not know exactly what "unsound" a determined encore, Mr. Allenby gave an meant in English. Witness looked into the safe! Italian classical song, explaining in advance. next day, with two others. Mai Ming made a shat it was a description of a moke being driven momorandum of the \$3,000 contained thereis, i up a hill by two Dagos. The ludicrously graphic showing how it was made up; Kai Ming was filustration which he gave was even more loudly opium keeper, and went to Amoy soon after. encored than the German song had been. Mr. Witness did not know when he would return. Nicholson, in response to loud calls for a fulfil-There was other farm money, in Chol Tien ment of his promise, sang "I took it," in his Su's hand, at that time, but witness did not usual amusing style. There was a great demand know how much. Witness was not concerned for Browning at the conclusion, but the Chairwith the money, but only with the oplum? The man ordered up the National Authem, and the chief manager was in Japan, and his power lof most enjoyable of evenings was brought to a attorney was with Cheng Kut, who was sick or close before midnight. Bishop Burdon must mad; so witness took the key and looked into the have been in ecstaples. sale, but he did not know at all what other money | The new Club has scored a brilliant triumph there was at that time. During Cheng Kut's in its opening "amoker," and if only the standard Illness witness was in charge of the farm except of excellence attained on Saturday can be mainin money matters, which Choi Tien Sa (not all tained within measurable distance, and the enterpartner) managed. Cheng Kut went to Penang Italnments can be arranged every month, the Mr. Rob Cheng Scan, late Chief Manager of soon after, and had been getting his pay as | organisers will deserve the sincere thanks of all the Oplum Farm, appeared before Mr. A. G. cashler every month since, though be did no lives are fortunated emough to attend their Wise to-day, on remand, to allower to the charge | work, The original deed of partnership was concerted

of larceny and embezzlement of over \$10,000, the drawn up for working the contract made by property of the Opium Farm syndicate, known defendant Koh Cheng Sean with the Governas the "Cheang Tek Kongsee." Mr. J. J. ment. Koh Slong Taty defendant's father; Francis, Q.C., instructed by Mr. Reece, appeared | Ong Beng Tak, late partner of defendant in an for the prosecution and Mr. H. L. Dennys oplum farm in Siam; and Li Keng Yong, now bankrupt, guaranted defendant. Witness did Oh Tek Leong, a partner in the Cheang Tek | not know that a new bond was made in October Kong-see, said the defendant-was a fokt of his, 1801 between the Government and Koh Cheng partnership was formed in Penang. The deed not tell witness. Witness-knew that in men and six Singapore men constituting the by the Government and Koh Cheng Sean, by on the Hongkong Opium Farm for the month, and \$5,000 a month was to be held over past three years. At present witness and for payment in a lump sum at the end of the defendant were the only partners: living in term? 'In fact, \$60,000 had, witness beard, Hongkong. He was the Chief Manager, A been lately paid-not actually paid in cash here,

> Mr. Dennys :-- But it has now been pald over actually, has it not?

to the credit of the Hongkong. Government as

Mr. Francis :-- No, it hasn't. Mr. Dennys :- The Government has it safely in its pocket now, you may be sure. Mr. Francis: -- What is the use of talking

Mr. Dennys :- That is what I don't know. Mr. Francis :- I know just as much about it

as you do. . Witness, continuing, said he had not opened the safe since the day in July above mentioned.

Mr. Dennys :- Have there not as a matter of fact been six different firms at different times carrying on business as the Cheang Tek kongsi -I don't understand. All I know is the names of the original partners, and except for the two who died I know nothing to alter that. Mr. Francis:—(If course as the capital was

tinue the partnership. Mr. Dennys was astonished that such a statement should come from a Queen's Counsel Everybody knew that partnership was dissolved at death. There might not be any executor at all. "After a little discussion the case was adjourned until Wednesday at two. o'clock.

SMOKING CONCERT CLUB.

The newly formed Hougkong Smoking dressy function.

had been told in reply there were between Saturday night would miss a lot.-This corresseven and eight thousand dollars in the safe, pondent is too funny for any use,... If he doesn't in notes and silver. He told him that on mind we will put the Committee on his track,

over \$27,000. The defendant said-" It is not is really a most valuable acquisition to the for? If I've spent it I will make it good. I am I in the East, bar none; Dr. Lowson then sang guarantzed by the Penang people." Witness an original "Student's Song" with chorus said-"I showed the agreement to lawyers and enthusiastically taken up by the whole audiguarantee." Koh said-"It is not your business; is to be highly congratulated on his suc-If you want to sue, then sue." Prior to that he had | cess. Dr. Blackburn, in "Longsboreman, spoken to defendant about the cash balances | Bill, was loudly applauded, the chorus being I will make it good." Witness said-"Take the introduced a comic song quite new to this part entitled to \$250 a month, as his wages, and to on the distinct understanding that Mr. Nicholson. nothing more, except by consuling the others. would appear later on that the audience was He had not taken any money with the knowledge naticaled, ... Mr. A. R. Rolle did full justice to and consent of witness in the last six months, | "Out on the Deep," in a magnificent bass, A Cross-examined: Witness isid the informatic clarionet solo followed, with band accompanying tion, but did not describe defendant as "chief when some very fine work, if a triffe uninterest-

Frenchmen.

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION

The shooting for the short range handicap cup look place on Saturday last, the ranges selected being 500 and 600 yards. The cup was won for the first time by Major Eyton with a good total of 68. The spoons, as was stated last week, were shot for on a different system. The first went to Major Eyton, who made the highest aggregate, including handicap points, and the second to Ly. Haswell, R.N., a scratch man with a net total of 62 The weather being dull and heavy the light began to fall at 600 yards, Twrnty-one members assembled, and the scores of the first sixteen are appended !-

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200 and 300 yards next Saturday.

THE STRAITS FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

The following is the fifth annual report for presentation to the shareholders at the seventh ordinary general meeting to be held in the Company's offices, Singapore, on Thursday, the 17th of March, 1892, at noon!-TO THE SHARCHOLDERS OF THE STRAITS FIRE

INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED. Gentlemen,-Your Directors beg to place before you the annexed statement of accounts for the year ended 31st December, 1891.

The net Premis earned, sher deducting Reinsurances and se urns, amount to \$215,680.37 (£32,352 I.1) The interest on investments, to \$33,697.16

(£5 054.11.6) 1890. Fire Fund. After payment of claims and returns under 1800 policies, there remained a final balance of \$30.000, which it is recommended shall be distributed as follows !-To payment of Dividend at the rate of

5 per cent. per annum for the year 1800\$ 20,000 To Reserve Fund, increasing that Fund

1891. Fire Fund. The balance of 1891 Account amounts to \$ 52 068.87, and has been placed to the credit of Fire Fund;

LONDON BRANCH. A branch of the Company was opened during the accord half of the year in the United Kingdom in the same premises as the Straits Insurance Co., Ld., 25 Cornbill, E.C., under the management of Mr. A. S. Murray.

DIRECTORS. In accordance with the provisions of clause 103 of the Company's Articles of Association. Mr. Thomson and Mr. Lovell retire-from the Board, but offer themselves for re-election,

In accordance with Article 141, Messrs. Lyall and R. Dunman retire, but offer themselves for

TH. SORST. Directors.

Singapore, 3rd March, 1802.

LATE TELEGRAMS.

LONDON, Pebruary 12th. Sir James Fergusson, Posimaster General,

stated in the House of Commons yesterday that mail question had resulted in an annual saving warding of mails.

sale of duty-paid opinm in the Bombay Pre- He deposed that he first knew Li Hien-mow and would live at peace with the missionaries, sideocy was due to its replacing the contraband at Shanghal. Li Hien-mow was simply his solely because he does not want to be

The relatives of "General" Booth and the pricted with him. The prisoner confessed that I quarrels triendly to the foreigners. Li Henge Honghoug evil Vebruery, 1844,

the Salvation Hall where an immense meeting was held to welcome him home. The General reception he met with in India and the Colonies. and said he was convinced that his Colonial Scheme was feasible, as there was abundance of room in the Colonies where, with proper management, the English poor would presper.

Five thousand Salvationists assembled in Hyde Park yesterday, afternoon and were reviewed by Genl. Booth. Animmense procession was afterwards formed, and, with bands playing and banners waving, and members singing, marched to the head-quarters of the army in the

February 116th. Late last night an amendment to the address in reply moved by Mr. Sexton, that Parliament was incapable of legislating for Ireland, and that the Land Purchase Act had failed, was rejected by a majority of twenty-one, after the Opposition had obtained the application of the closure in an attempt to snatch the victory in a thin house. The address in reply was then adopted.

In the House of Commons yesterday, the Under Secretary for India stated that Government was awalting further information from India before deciding upon the claims of the Forest Department, and it was the same in the case of the pension rules of the Public Works

The House of Lords has passed the second reading of the Indian Councils' and Indian Officers' Bills. Beth Bills are identical with those introduced last session. The Earl of Kimberley has approved of the Indian Councils Bill as tentative, whilst Lord Northbrook was of epinion that one of the great merits of the Bil was its clasticity. Lord Salishury deprecated the idea that the extra representation was to be mainly confined to Municipal bodies. In the discussion on the Irdian Officers' Bill, Loid Northbrook opposed the granting of increased facilities enabling officers of high rank to leave India, as he was unable to conceive any grounds therefor. Lord Salisbury, in reply, said'it was desirable with the present short passage from India to England to enable high officials to come and consult the Home Government. Earl Kimber'ey thought the disadvantages of suchan

proceeding outweighed the advantages. The Times says it is high time the Indian Councils Bill was passed by Parliament, as the delay has been almost a scandal, and it is only the extreme partisans of Congress who disapprove of the measure. The same journal advises the authorities to make spuring use of the Indian Officers' Bill should it become law.

The death is announced of Mr. Henry Wardle, Member of Parliament for South Derbyshire. February 18th.

Elections before deciding what that policy should is not the least, not ble in this connection. said that recent events had increased the absurdity of the Radical Home Rule proposals. A fire broke out yesterday on board the British ship Indian Empire laden with a cargo of jute l from Calcutta and now lying at Dundee. The cargo was destroyed, the loss being estimated

at six thousand pounds. The death is announced of Sir George Campbell, member for Kirkcaldy district." The Dally Chronicle is informed that Lord Roberts' command of the forces in India will

be extended to November 1893. QUEBEC, February 18th. The report of the Royal Commission appointed to enquire into the scandals in connection with the Chalcur Bay Railway subsidies has been published. The Liberal minority exonerates the Quebec ministers, whilst the Conservative majority condemns Mr. Mercier, the Premier of Quabec, for using a portion of the railway subsidy.

PARIS, February 18th. In the Chamber of Deputies this evening, the Government invited a motion of confidence on the Bill dealing with Clerical and other socie- frame. ties, but were defeated by a large majority; thereupon the Ministers left the House in a body

and have resigned. The Irish Local Government Bill was introduced into the House of Commons last night by Mr. Balfour.

It creates County and Baronial Councils, which are to be elected triennially, the franchise including women. The measure safeguards minorities and enables the dismissal of Councils guilty of corruption or oppression, the Viceroy having the power of replacing them by his own The Liberal and both Irish parties ridiculed

The Corporation has voted a sum of 150 guineas to be devoted to special prizes for (Indian marksmen i) competing at the next meet-

NOTES PROM CHINESE PAPERS.

ing of the National Rifle Association at Bisley.

On the 18th ult. snow fell in Hankow to the depth of three inches, and another fail took place on the gard. Had these falls taken place during winter instead of spring, according to native reckening, all the eggs of the locusts would have been frozen to death; at least, so the farmers say, "The cash market is doing a brisk business. The rates are high and no doubt they will rise higher when the tea season commences Several new cash shops have come into existence

In Sungkisug a man called on a druggist and left with him a small package of the rims clipped from a ball of opium, promising to return for it shortly. In the meantime a customer came in with a prescription, but by mistake one of the employes wrapped up the packet of opium with the other drugs. The patient, who was woman nearing the period of her confinement, took the medicine, and expired in a few minutes. A doctor who was called in discovered what had occurred. The druggist had to pay \$40 and the cost of "joss pidgin" performed by monks for three days to save the soul of the deceased.

friend, and a very casual one. He knew nothing | bothered with the troubles of native fanaticism of Li, Hien-mow's character or anything con- so long as it does not suit his purpose to have

Chiefs of the Salvation Army in Great Britain and | he did try to pass himself off as the son of the the Continent, with eight battalions of the Army, late General Li Sreichung when begging for a embarked yesterday on eight steamers, which commission from the late Viceroy Tseng Kuowere gally decorated with flags, and proceeded to | chuan, but he was then in stratemed circum-Southampton to meet General Booth on his stances and was very nearly starved. Besides return to England. The General was greeted this act he had done nothing against the law. with deafening cheers, guns being fired and The court told him that in trying to pass himself rockets discharged. On landing, a huge offfor what he was not he had made himself liable procession formed at the Docks and marched to to a severe punishment according to law, and that he must at race hand over the certificate of his present rark issued to him by the Board of Civil in returning thanks spoke of the marvellous | Office, and swait further decision. Wan Sungting was then confronted with LI Hien-mow. Wan stated that; when a lieutenant in the Formosan army, he was ordered to stand by Li. who was then second in command. The court was surprised at the very slight cause—if it was the cause—which had led the prisoner to make so serious an accusation. Wan said he was misled by listening to other people; but he could not or would not confess who the other people were. The Court then adjourned.

CHEFOO.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.) February 26th.

Yet another fatality has taken place in connection with the attempted raising of the sunken steamer Marie. On Wednesday afternoon an experienced native diver, who had been specially sent up from Shanghai to work at the wreck died while diving in about to feet of water. bear that on that day he made two descents: one shortly after moon, on which occasion be was down' for some fifteen or twenty mirutes, and the second about 4 o'clock when, fler being some fifteen minutes under water, and those in attendance shave receiving no signals on the life-line, and suspecting that something was ainiss, he was pulled up to the surface with all haste and the belief of his diving dress removed when it was discovered that the unfortonate man was quirede d. Delith was no d subt due to cold and suffication. In one way and another the weed of the Maria is responsible for the loss of theenty-fige lives. Yet in spite of the large less of life and the other numerous milifortunes that have so for attended the labours of the contractors stoff, work at the weed is will pushed forward, and those concerned tre singuine enough to, hone that with the continuance of the present fine weather, another week or ten days will see the Marie once more fil 13t.

To-morrow night the enterprising members of the Savage Club give their second performance wideh, if it ploves as successful as their readers effort to ever for the public amusement, is sur to be well received, and should gof ar to u solidate the position which their institution ha aire dy gained .- N. C. D. News.

THE MASTER OF CHINA.

LI HUNG CHANG AS HE IS AT HOME.

The reported serious illness of Li Hung Chang Viceroy of Chihil and practical ruler of the Flowery Kingdom, arbuses interest in the person-Speaking at the Constitutional Club last slivy of this noted individual, as well as in evening, Mr. Belfour reiterated the charge that I the probabilities attendant upon his death. The the Radicals have not the slightest conception | fact that he has not been above patterning himof their Home Rule policy, and he believed that self after the Western nations and has chosen they were awaiting the result of the General Bismarck as an example worthy of being followed, be. He dwelt on the absence of any pressure | correspondent of the London Chronicle furnishes by the Radicals for dissolution of Parliament and | the following readable, letter in regard to the

Chireso Prime Minister :--Li Hung Chang resides at Tientsin, which is about ninely miles from the capital, and is cut off from the south by the ice barrier of wister from the middle of December to the middle of March. His highness or grace or lordship, for Li is a nobleman of the new Chinese peerage, with the clastic rank of a baron or an earl or a treachery. The story is recalled as illustrative duke or a prince, is or was a remarkably fine- of the untrustworthy character of Li Hung looking man, big of frame, bold of mien and of Chang's word, and it is believed that time has an almost handsome cast of countenance. He in this respect little changed him, is now old and wrinkled, with a long, straggling gray moustache, and what the Chinese call a whisker on the chin, or what is known more generally as an imperial, which Li is fond of stroking. Bad teeth and dirty finger-nails do not, bowever, add to his personal charms or commend him to European visitors. His voice is harsh, his glance too often being a sentence of decapitation. His Excellency finally is a man of typhoon passions, and he swears like the proverbial trooper. He might pass for a soldier, even now when age has dimmed the fire of his eye and sickness has generally impaired his

In fixing his official residence at Tientsin. Li Hung Chung showed a strain of that tact which throughout a long life, has distinguished his Excellency in the cultivation and management, so to speak, of his reputation. His great aim in life has been to inspire and command respect. To achieve this he has resorted to mystery. His. strength exists in the fact that comparatively little is seen of him. By holding a oof from the Court he ercapes touch with its intrigues. The Queen's aunt feirs Li Hung Chang, because she sees so little of him. The Emperor, fast arriving at a consciousness of his own power, has heard enough of his great Minister to doubt whether China would or could exist without him, In a word, Li has striven to obtain credit for enormous power, and he has succeeded in the endeavor. He has heard enough of European statesmen to strive after a model, and the model which he has chosen for himself is Prince Bis-

Little, however, is really known to the world of this ambitious Chinese Minister. He may lack all the powers which he is careful to claim. He is strong because of his office, but he is stronger still because of his self-concealment. He has his rivals at court. The very able lady who is the power behind the thrane is pretty well aware that Li as an enemy would be as dangerous as he is prwerful as a friend. The leaders of what may be called the Nationalist party look to Li to lead them when the hour to strike shall bave arrived. They hold some conditional promise of the sort. Years ago Li Hung-chang was asked to place himself at the head of a new Chinese party. The object of this party was then, as it is to-day, to replace the Manchu or Taxter dynasty by one distinctly Chinese, Li, while professing every sympathy with progress, pointed out that the two factions, the court faction and the popular faction, were too evenly balanced to justify revolution. "If you falled." he said, "my reputation would be destroyed, and I should, die sullied with the name of traitor." But though this master-stroke of opportunism is a twentyyear-old story, Li Hung Chang has never ceased to be looked upon as the national leader of the Revolutionary party. On the other hand, he On the 25th February, the two prefects and justify suspicion of his loyalty. He has served three magistrates constituting the commission the empire faithfully. He is a Chinese of the for the trial of Li Hien-mow met again at the Chinese. He is, in fact, China. The missionaries Nanking Magistrate's yamin, The first prisoner | sometimes look upon him as friendly toward examined was Li Hien-mow who gave evidence their propagands, but at hear; he is nothing of Persons desiring to Tender for the execution substantially the same as before. When asked the sort. He hates foreigners, and merely uses of these Works, must leave their names at the the negretations with France and Italy on the whether he knew Li Kuei-chien, the accused stated them as a means to an end. His motto is, Royal Engineer Office, Queen's Road East on that he had met him last year in Shanghai, in "China for the Chinese." He would not or before the 11th day of March, 1892, for the of seven thousand pounds sterling in the for- some of the "last" places and formed an acquain- openly quarrel with Europeans, but he Bills of Quantides, which, with Form of Tender, tanceship, but not an intimacy. Of Li Kuel- steadily picks their brains and urges his will be issued to each candidate. The Under Secretary for India, replying to a chien's actions and antecedents the prisoner knew subordinates to do the same. He cares The Secretary of State for War does not bind question by Mr. Samuel Smith, said the increased nothing. Then Li Kuci-chien was called up. nething for religion, either native or foreign, himself to accept the lowest or any Tender,

chang favors the introduction of Western customs just to this extent. He believes in using the foreigners while despising them like any good Chinaman. He is favorable to the introduction of rallways and delephones and other new entlone, and grants concessions for the employment of European capital, and ingenuity Put he will do this only so long wa it may take the natives to do the work themselves. Then he would drive the foreigners, English, French and German, into the sea. It may be interesting as an illustration of his understanding of European characteristics to state that his army was officered by Germans, his navy by Englishmen, and his public works were engineered by

A month or two ago a petition was sent to the Emperor from the province of Hanan, praying his Majesty to issue an order expelling all foreigners from the country, and promising to send an armed force to the Emperor should force be necessary. This petition, of course, fell into Li's hands, but while the "grand old man," of course, burked, he took care to acknowledge its sentiments of loyalty in terms which are not calculated to give a permanent security to the foreigners. He spoke of them as a pecessary evil to be borne with until the coming of national emancipation.

The wealth of Li Hung Chang has been privately estimated, by those who are in a position to form an accurate Judgment of his possessions, at Lio,000,000 sterling. 11 At Tientsin, where he sits as Governor-General of the province, as well as Foreign Minister and Inspector-General of the Fleet and Generalissimo of the army, Li Hung Chang lives in a state becoming to his rank, but his habits are marked by some esceticism, though probably no more than is to be looked for in an old man of enfecbled digestion. He is surrounded by the products of Western civilisation: and the Chinese fleet, which lies practically at his very doors, is a striking instance of European genius. It is difficult for an Englishman to dis inguish 'Li's ships from those of Great Britain, whi h they resemble with a flattering

Li Hung Chang, in conversation with English men, affects but the most limited understanding ref our language. He realizes the meaning of "ye," and "no," and now and then relapses into a sputtering form of 'pidgin' English which is absurdly wearisome ...

But these qualified efforts, at being polite to his Saxon visitors notwithstanding, his Excellency is believed to know more of European vernacular than he cares to admit. He is constructively wise in his aff-cted ignorance. He is thus en third to put his interregators at the disadvantage of an interpreter while framing his own reply long in advance. His Excellency, in short, finds his arrength in concenting his thoughts. His raticence in power. Reticence, which in a bir ese is another name for secretiveness, is the Chief Public Offices. atrong feature of every Chinese gentleman.

That Li Hung hing means to be on the winning side, whatever happens, is conclusively shown by his opportunism. He is all things to all men. He recently showed that he is conscious of the strength of the revolutionary party by warning the Powers not to exact too much. lest the exaction should bring to the front greater troubles for the Christians, He meant, of course, an uprising against the Government for having surrendered so much. The missionaries complain that, while he does nothing against them, he does nothing for them. That he is a man capable of not allowing his left hand to know the intentions of his right was shown as long ago as the Taiping rebellion. After having promised Gordon to apare the lives of certain Taiping Wangs who had surrendered, he cut their heads off. This so enraged Gardon that if he had succeeded in finding Li while the fit was on, his life would probably have paid the forfeit of his

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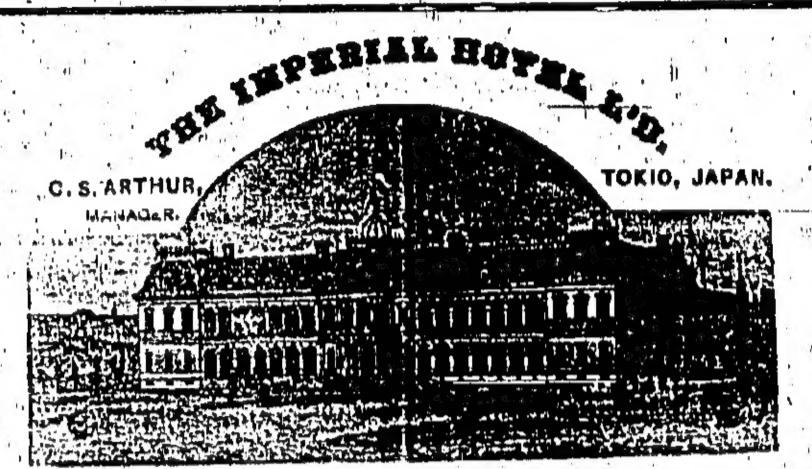
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Commercial.

LATEST QUOTATIONS. Hongkong and Shanghai Bank,-141 per cent. prem., ex. dlv., buyers. The National Bank of China, Ld, on £40.0

paid up,-40 per cent, dis., sales and buyers. Toe National Bank of China, Ld.-Founders' shares, \$200 per share, buyers. The Bank of China, Japan & the Straits, Ld .-

Stol per share, sellers. The Bank of China, Japan & the Straits Ld.-Founders' shares, £70 per share, sales and Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884 B-21 per cent.

premium, sellers. Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884 C-2 per cent. premium, buyers. Chinese Imperial Loan of 1886 E-14 per cent.

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North China Insurance-Tls. 255 per share, Canton Insurance Company, Limited-\$102 per

share, sellers, Yangtsze Insurance Association-\$108, buyers, On Tal Insurance Company, Limited-Tis. 150 per share. Hongkong Fire Insurance Company-\$305 per

share, sales. China Fire Insurance Company-591 per share ex. div., buyers: Hongkong, Canton, and Marso Steamboat Co.-\$351 per share, buyers.

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Geo. Fenwirk & Co., Limited, \$14 per_share, detal Company-\$50 per share,

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per share, sellers. Luzon Sugar Refining Company, Limited-\$52 | Chinese. per share, sellers. . A. S. Watson & Co., Limited-\$18 per share, Cruickshank & Co., Limited-\$7 per share,

Hongkong Dairy Farm Co., Limited-\$7 per share, sales and sellers. The Kowloon Land Investment Co., Limited-\$10 per share, sales and sellers. The Hongkong Land Investment Co., Limited-peans and 40 Chinese.

\$68 per share, sellers, The West Point Buildings Co., Limited-\$23 per share, buyers: The Labuk Planting Co., Limited-\$2 per share, Chinese.

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-\$65 per share, sellers. The Hongkong Brick and Cement Co., Limited, - \$10 per share, nominal, The Green Island Cement Co.-\$7 per ==are,

sales and buyers. The Hongkong Electric Light Co., Limited-\$44 per share, sales and sellers. The Hongkong Steam Laundry Co., Limited-

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Shipping.

ARRIVALS.

GLENARTNEY, British str., 1,943, J., McGregor 6th March,-London 20th January, Sues 4th February, Penang 24th, and Singapore 28th, General.-Jardine, Matheson & Co. ABERCELDIE, British steamer, 1,860, Barnett, 6th March,-Middlesborough 13th January ---- Railway Iron .-- Jardine, Matheson & Co. TERESA, British steamer, 785, Slaker, 6th March, -Singapore 27th February, General.

BRINDISI, British steamer, 2,129, E. Street, 6th March,-London, 17th Jan, 1 and Singapore zoth, General.-P. & O. S. N. Co. Kalsow, British steamer, 1,934, G. L. Castle, 6th March,-Singapore 29th Feb.; General

-Arnhold, Karberg & Co. DEUTEROS, German steamer, 1,197, W. Dinse, fifth - March, -Salgon - sat - March, -Rice --Slemssen & Co. 470

TRIUMPH, German steamer, 674, J. Bruhn, 6th March,—Pakhol, and H show 5th March, General -Ed. Schellhaus & Corpy of the NANCHANG, British steamer, 1,00s, R. Morgan, 6th March, Chinkleng 1st March, General.

-Butterfield & Swire. Loo Sor, British steamer, 1,040, A. Benson, 6th March, Swatow 5th March, General, Scottish Oriental S. N. Co. Cickeo, British steamer, 1,030, A. George, 6th to-morrow, the 8th instant, at 11.30 A.M. March, Salgon 1st March, General-Wo

WUCHANO, British steamer, 800, G. Wallack. 6th March,-Manile and March, General

TELEMACHUS, British steamer, 1,397, H. Jones, 6th March,—Kobe 28th Feb., and Moji and

March, General.—Butterfield & Swire.

DORA FORSTER, British steamer, 1,570, D. March. Coals.—Mitsul Bussan Kaisha. NECKAR, German steamer, 1.491, J. Roben, 6th —Gibb, Livingston & Co.

March,—Shanghai 3rd March, Mails and BORMIDA, Italian steamer, 1,498, F. Susini, General .-- Melchers & Co.

LY-EE-MOON, German steamer, 1,238, G. Hexer-General.—Slemssen & Co. YIKBANG, British steamer, 887, T. R. Gals-

General.-Jardine, Matheson & Co. DON JUAN, Spanish steamer, 654, R. Beltran, Brandão & Co.

RIVERSDALE, British steamer, 1,311, Mooney, 7th March,-Kobe 28th Feb., General,-Dodwell, Carlill & Co. CARMARTHENSHIRE, British steamer, 1,779, A. Clark, 7th March,-London 24th Jan., and

Cariffi & Co. Wieler & Co.

EMPRESS OF JAPAN, British steamer, 3,003, Geo. A. Lee, R.N.R., 7th March,-Vancouver 14th Feb., and Yokobama 29th, General.-C. P. Rallway Steamship Co.

CLEARANCES AT THE HARBOUR OFFICE. Ly-ee-moon, German steamer, for Shanghal. Charters Towers, British str., for Kutchinotzu. Loo Sok, British steamer, for Singapore. Telemachus, British steamer, for Singapore. Orestes, British steamer, for Amoy. Canton, British steamer, for Swatow. Wuchang, British steamer, for Shangbal. Triumoh. German steamer, for Hoibow. Abergeldie, British steamer, for Takow. Bylgia, German barque, for Tientsin.

Kaisow, British steamer, for Shanghal.

DEPARTURES. March 6, Achtiles, British str., for Shanghal. March 6, Else, German steamer, for Holbow. March 6, Continental, Dutch str., for Holhow. March 6, Taicheone, German str., for Swatow. March 6, Siam, British steamer, for Salgon. March 6, Hailoong. British str., for Swatow.

March 6, Milks Maru, Japanese steamer, for Kobe, &c. March 7, Canton, British str., for Swatow, &c. March 7; Ly-ce-maon, Germanatz., for Shanghai. March 7, Loo Sok, British steamer, for Singapore, &c. March 7, Abergeldie, British str., for Tlentsin.

March 7, Yung-ping, Chinese str., for Chefoo.

PASSENGERS-ARRIVED. Per Brindist, str., from Singapore.-21

Per Teresa, str., from Singapore,-320 Per Glenariney, str., from London, &c., for Hongkong.—Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Drury, Mrs. E.

Meadon, Mr. Wagner, and 300 Chinese. For Per Loo Sok, str., from Swatow, -870 Chinese. Per Deuteros, str., from Saigon.-18 Chinese. Per Kaisew, str., from Singapore.--70

Per Cicero, str., from Saigon.-12 Chinese. Per Wuchang, str., from Manila.-Mr. J. R. Rice, and 57 Chinese. Per Telemachus, str., from Kobe, &cc.-17

Per Neckar, str., from Shanghal,-Mr., and Mrs. Plorkowski, Mrs. Slobs, Miss Foy, Messra. Rosenzwelg, Hillier and family, and 5 Chinese. Per Don Juan, str., from Manila.-6 Euro-

Per Yiksang, str., from Manila.—24 Chinese. Per Carmarinenskire, str., from London, &c. -Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Clark, Mr. Muir, and 170 JOSEPHUS, American ship, 1,490, Smithwick,

Per Empress of Japan, str., from Vancouver, &c.-Mesers: Stempel, A. E. L. Monaco, and 28

DEPARTED. Per Berenice, str., for Shanghal,-Messrs, C. Zanilla, C. Yat, L. Hootin, C. H. Chew, Man-

darin Foo, and 4 Chinese.

The British steamship Kaisow reports that she left :Singapore on the 20th ultimo. Had calms and light variable winds throughout, The British steamship Briedisi reports that she left Loudon on the 17th January, and Singapore on the 20th ultimo. Had fine passage. The British steamship Toresa reports that she left Singapore on the 27th ultime. Had light north-east winds and fine westher throughout. The British steamship Viksang reports that she left Manila on the 4th instant, "Had light | R. variable winds. Strong north-east monsoon on

China coast. The British steamship Cicero reports that she left Salgon on the 1st inst. Had moderate winds from south to south-east-and fine weather to Cape Varelia: thence thick haze and south-south-west winds to port.

The British steamship Wuchang reports that she left Manils on the 3rd instant. Had fine weather with light southerly breeze until reaching port, when experienced dull foggy weather and westerly breeze.

The British steamship Carmarshenshire reports that she left London on the 24th Jan., and Singapore on the sat instant. Had southwest winds to Paracels ; thence to port had strong north-east winds: i.

The British steamship Loo Son reports that she left Swatow on the 5th instant. The first part of the passage had moderate easterly winds with foggy weather and the latter part strong north-west winds and clear weather, In Swatow the steamships Ysensang, Namoa, and Nam-

The British steamship Glenariney reports that she left; London on the 20th January, Had moderate passage to Gibraltas; thence had strong north-north-west winds and high sea to :Galita, and fine passage to Canal. Left Suez on the 4th-ult. Had moderate to fresh monsoon across Indian Ocean, with two days strong wind between Maldive Islands and Ceylon. Left Penang on the 24th, and Singapore on the 28th, Then experienced light to moderate monsoon and smooth sea to Bombay reef; thence had gentle to fresh south to south-westerly breeze and moderate sea to Hongkong. Hazy weather at the approaches to Hongkong. On the 5th, at 9.25 a.m., spoke the English barque Stanfield of London, in lat-21 o north and long. 14.08 cast.

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the 8th instant, at 11/20 A.M. For Amoy and Straits -- Per Teresa to-mosrow, the Bth instant, at 17.30 A.W. iti For Swatow, Amoy, & Koochow,--Per Hallen We For Kobs, Yokobama, Honolulu, Wictoria, B.C. and Postland, Dregon, Bet Balavie tomorrow the 8th instant, at 8.00 Page 1 For Magazaki .-- Per Ciara to morsow the Sth motent, at 1.30 7.11

SHIPPING IN HONGKONG.

Morgan, 6th March,-Kutchinotzu 1st BATAVIA, British steamer, 1,662, J. R. Hill, 23rd Feb.,-Portland, Oregon roth Jan., General.

4th March, Saigon 28th Feb., General,-

Carlowitz & Co. mann, 6th March,-Canton 6th March, Canton, British steamer, 1,110, T. Sellar, 4th March,-Canton 4th March, General,-Jardine, Matheson & Co. worthy, 7th March,-Manlia 4th March, CHARTERS TOWERS, British steamer, 1,905,

John Brunstrom, and March,-Kutchinotzu 26th Feb., Coals.-Mitsul Bussan Kalsha. 7th March,-Manila 4th March, General .- CHELYDRA, British steamer, 2,467, R. Cass, 4th March,-Calcutta 17th Feb., Penang 24th, and Singapore 27th, General,-Jardine, Matheson & Co.

CHOWFA, British steamer, 1,057, F. W. Phillips, 5th March,—Bangkok 27th Feb., Rice and Timber.-Yuen Fat Hong. Singapore 1st March, General.-Dodwell, Clara, German steamer, 667, H. Ipland, 3rd March,-Halphong 1st March, General,-

BASUTO, German barque, 348, Eggert, 7th A.R. Marty.

March,—Amoy and March, Ballast.— Diamante, British steamer, 514, J. C. Gerard, 8th Feb., -Manila 5th February, General. -Shewan & Co.

DROT, Norwegian steamer, 2,189, H. Hansen, 28th Feb.,-Kutchinotzu 22nd Feb., Coals.-Mitsu Blahl Colliery. FAME, British steamer, 117, Captain McIsaac, -Hongkong Government tender. FARLIC. British steamer, 4.200, Pearce, 3rd

hama 27th, Mails and General .- O. & O. S. S. Co. HAINAN, German steamer, 647. J. Samuelsen, 28th Feb.,-Salgon 24th, Rice and Beans. -Melchers & Co.

March,-San Francisco 4th Feb., and Yoko-

MATTAN, British steamer, 1,183, H. Bathurst, 5th March, Foochow 1st March, Amoy and, and Swatow 4th, General. - D. Lapraik HAILOONG, British steamer, 783, J. Roach, 3rd

March-Tamsul 20th February, Amoy 1st March, and Swatow and, General.-D. Lapraik & Co. ORESTES, British steamer, 1,270, J. Barr, 5th March,—Liverpool, and Singapore 28th

Feb., General.—Butterfield & Swire. PILOT FISH, British steamer, 161, A. Stopani .--Hongkong and Whampea Dock Co. PRESTO, German steamer, 665, J. Jessen, 5th March,-Kobe 28th March, General,-

---- Chinese, STORE NORDISKE, Danish telegraph steamer, 596, E. Suenson, 3rd March, -Shanghai 28th February .-- G. N. Telegraph Co. THIBET, British steamer, 1,665, L. M. Wibmer, 3rd March,-Singapore 25th Feb., General. Montreal, Canada 319.75 313.00 -P. & O. S. N. Co.

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Feb., and Singapore 12th, General.-Jar-

dine, Matheson & Co. RATLING VESSELS. BYLGIA, German barque, 333, Hagenberg, 3rd Feb.,-Hong Nim (Tonquin) 12th January, Timber.—Wieler & Co. COLOMA, American bark, 870, C. M. Noyes, and

Jan.,-Portland, Oregon gret Oct., Spars and Lumber.-Order. DARRA, British barque, 945, Brown, 20th Feb. DOROTHY, British barque, 310, Augus Croad, 21st Feb.,-Catananan 31st January, Timber.-

Gibb, Livingston & Co. ERLEGENIO, Chinese bark, 457, Examine Opium, tion_hulk, Stonecutters' Island. - Chinese Customs. GOV. ROBEL, American ship, 1.627, A. Nichols. 30th Nov.,-New York 7th July, Kerosine

25th Jan.,-New York 14th August, Kerosene PAPA, German barque, 748, F. W. Thom, 19th Feb.,-Hamburg 19th Sept., General.-

Oil.—Order.

Siemssen & Co. PATRICIAN, American ship, 1,254, E. R. Sterling, 19th Feb.,-New York 9th Sept., Kerosene Oil.-Jardine, Matheson & Co. SIR WM. WALLACE, British bark, -. Brown,

. soih Feb., -Shanghai 15th Feb., Ballas. -TARAPACA, British barque, 495, H. Kennett, 2nd March,-Foochow 28th Feb., Ballast,-Gibb, Livingston & Co. VELOCITY, British bank, 491, R. Martin, 19th Dec. - Honolulu 5th November, Ballast .-

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